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Judge criticizes court consolidation effort

An effort to explore the consolidation of the local 29th District Court with another municipality by members of the Wayne City Council has drawn harsh criticism from retiring Judge Laura Mack.

A resolution directing the city administration to "engage with other local communities regarding the potential for court consolidation as soon as practicable" was adopted at the Feb. 4 meeting with Councilman Anthony Miller casting the only dissenting vote. The resolution also directs the administration to determine, with the assistance of Plante Moran, the fiscal impact of the consolidation on the city general fund budget.

> *Some were false, some were misleading and others appeared to reveal a basic lack of understanding about the Court.*

The results of the study are to be reported to the council and the public as soon as "practicable."

Miller repeatedly raised numerous questions about the proposed consolidation during the extensive discussion.

City Manager Lisa Nocerini introduced the resolution for consideration noting that it had been prepared at the request of "several council members, we just did as directed."

Miller was adamant in his objections to the measure and repeatedly asked that the resolution not be sent to the state officials but that the study include the financial impact of any such merger on residents and first be considered by the council.

"You're putting the cart before the horse," Miller told the council. "We need to do our own exploration. We're sending a resolution when we haven't done a cost analysis."

Mayor John Rhaesa explained that the resolution was an effort to get help from the state regarding the feasibility of a merger and that all information gathered would be provided to the council members and the public before action was taken. He insisted that "it is time to act" and referred council members to an 2013 study of the court.

Miller pointedly asked if discussions with other communities had taken place about the consolidation by the city during the past three months. Rhaesa denied that

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An artist's rendering of the planned digital monument signage planned at Romulus High School

School renovations are planned

Romulus Community School District officials have revealed plans for upgrades and repairs to four district buildings, funded by the millage approved by voters last August.

Renovations will take place during the next two years, officials said.

Voters approved a sinking millage to fund the repairs by 2,525 to 2,074 votes last August.

According to Dawn Jamison, the chief communications officer for the district, the renovations and improvements are necessary to provide adequate educational experiences for the students in buildings that are about 50-years-old.

"We have several renovation projects in store for our schools," she said. "We recognize that our buildings are aging and these slated projects and improvements will breathe new life into our district."

All the planned renovations and repairs will be funded through the sinking fund millage.

"We are very excited about some of the projects in the pipeline," Jamison said. "These projects improve the technology, accessibility and general curb appeal of four of our schools."

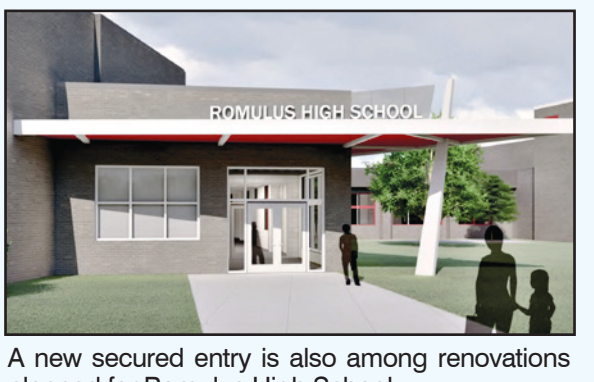
Improvements at Romulus High School include a new secured entry and frontage improvements along with a new student drop off area and replacement of the cafeteria flooring. Also planned are toilet room renovations and monument signing at the school.

At Romulus Middle School, repairs include the flooring in the cafeteria and repairs or replacement of the water heater and boiler. Monument signage, cafeteria flooring, frontage improvements and new secured entries are also planned at Wick Elementary School, Hale Creek and Barth elementary schools.

A sinking fund is a limited property tax to fund major repairs and renovations to school buildings and allowed the district to levy 3 mills on every $1,000 of property value which is usually at half the market value of the property. Romulus residents are now paying about $120 annually on an average home assessed at about $37,508 which will generate about $2.3 million annually for 10 years to fund the needed renovations and repairs.

Money from a sinking fund millage can only be used for specific improvements and renovations and cannot be used for salaries, benefits, pensions or any other district expenses.

A new parking/drop off area at Romulus High School is planned.



A new secured entry is also among renovations planned for Romulus High School.

Northville Downs development plan falters at gate

Racing will continue at Northville Downs through 2024 it was announced last week when racetrack Operations Manager Mike Carlo confirmed the signing of a long-term lease. Carlo is quoted as saying he had signed a long-term land lease option with the owners of the property to continue races at the downtown Northville site after a $200 million development project apparently faltered.

"We're just excited to be staying here longer and working harder and harder to keep horse racing alive in Michigan," Carlo said. Carlo owns the race track parking lot but the track is owned by an investment group, Northville Driving Club Corp.

A huge mixed-use development planned at the race-track site by Farmington Hills based Hunter Pasteur Homes scheduled to start this year will be delayed indefinitely, according to a Randy Wertheimer, president and EEO of Hunter Pasteur Homes.

"We can't develop without site plan approval from the City of Northville - we don't have that approval," Wertheimer said. "I don't know if the racetrack will be open for three years or four years, but they're definitely open for the foreseeable future."

Wertheimer confirmed that the delay in the initial timeline was confirmed about six months ago. The proposed development included 525 residential units and 19,000 square feet of commercial space. The delay is apparently due, in part to a new master plan adopted by the City of Northville which addresses the Northville Downs property.

"The move to reopen three

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Westland receives unmodified audit report

Westland city officials received the highest available "unmodified opinion" of the annual financial report last week presented by Plante Moran auditors. The audit states that the June 30, 2019 financial statements are fairly presented and accurately reflect the financial position of the city.

Westland increased the general fund rainy day fund balance by approximately $200,000, according to the report and the city also complied with the requirements issued by the State of Michigan and received $1.4 million through the state revenue sharing program. Cost containment efforts have continued, with nearly all departments coming in under budget for the year, while also showing a decrease in total outstanding bond debt of approximately $2.6 million, according to the audit figures.

"The City of Westland continues to have strong budget process and practices that have led to positive financial results demonstrated in the current year," commented Alisha Watkins, CPA and Partner at Plante Moran.

"During the 2018-19 fiscal year, the city was able to reinvest more than $9.6 million on various capital improvements, including water and sewer line repairs and upgrades, various road and park improvements, and new public service equipment and vehicles," commented Mayor William R. Wild. "We continue to look ahead in our financial forecasting and make fiscally responsible decisions for our city's residents and businesses."

In addition, Westland opened

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NORTHVILLE - PLYMOUTH

Northville City Clerk prepares for elections

A closed Presidential Primary is planned in Michigan for Tuesday, March 10, and City of Northville Clerk Dianne Massa is getting prepared.

While there is no political party registration requirement in Michigan election law, in this specific election, registered voters will need to make their ballot selection in writing before being issued a ballot (whether voting at the polls or by Absent Voter Ballot).

The March ballot selection does not affect voting in the Aug. 4 primary, which is an open primary. At that election, voters will be issued ballots containing all political parties and their candidates, and will select one of the parties in the privacy of the voting station, according to an advisory from the City of Northville.

The written ballot selection made at the Presidential Primary does not have any bearing on how a person votes in the general election for president, set for Nov. 3.

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Voters can learn more about the Michigan Presidential Primary Election on the State of Michigan website.

In Northville, Absent Voter (AV) applications have been mailed to voters on the automatic application list; they are also available on the Northville city website. Registered voters who want to be on the automatic application list are asked to complete and return the form provided on the website. Deadlines for Absent Voter ballots include: 5 p.m. Friday, March 6 which is the deadline for a voter to request an Absent Voter Ballot to be mailed by first class mail; Saturday, March 7 when the city clerk's office will be open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. for in-person AV ballot requests. Ballots may be voted at city hall or taken home and 4 p.m. Monday, March 9, which is the deadline for registered voters to request an Absent Voter Ballot in-person at the clerk's office. Voters are not allowed to leave with the ballot on this day and must vote the ballot in person at city hall.

Grant will fund restorations at Fish Hatchery Park

Fish Hatchery Park in the City of Northville will see construction along the banks of Johnson Creek this spring funded by a state grant.

During the regular meeting of the city council members Feb. 3, Mark Gasche, director of the Department of Parks and Recreation, reported that the Alliance of Rouge Communities (ARC) has received a grant for $855,915 from the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to restore the banks of the Johnson Creek at Fish Hatchery Park.

The project will be funded by the grant and will be administered by ARC. The next step, Gasche said, involves receiving a permit from The Michigan Environment, Great Lakes and Energy (EGLE), which is expected later this month and then posting a request for proposals for companies to bid on the work. Construction is expected to take place in late spring, then again in late summer/fall, he said.

His announcement prompted resident Kathy Spillane to ask members of the city council to add green infrastructure to the goals and objectives for 2020/2021. She requested public and/or public/private funding be sought for projects that involve waterways and reminded council members that there are funds at the local, state and national level and referenced both ARC and EGLE as two possibilities.

Spillane further encouraged council members to inform legislators of the needs in Northville for these types of infrastructure projects.

Mayor Brian Turnbull said he was in agreement and noted that he recently walked the riverbank throughout Northville and learned just how far-ranging it is. He is in favor, he said, of daylighting the river at the Northville Downs property when redeveloped and working on other areas along the river - sharing the cost with other entities.

Double Your Donation drive now under way at PARC

A Double Your Donation gift matching program is under way until the end of this month at the Plymouth Arts & Recreation Complex (PARC).

The program was introduced last year as an opportunity for supporters to make a donation and have the financial contribution matched. The donations and the increased benefit from the matching funds will be instrumental in the ability of the complex to continue the mission of enriching the lives of everyone in the community by providing a destination in Plymouth for quality arts, education and recreation programs.

"The 2020 "Double Your Donation" gift matching program and any future fundraising initiatives will help preserve the historic building in which PARC resides, pursue our mission and secure the future viability of PARC", said Don Soenen, PARC president

During the "Double Your Donation" portion of our overall fundraising initiative, Soenen and his wife, Colleen, will match every contribution until the goal of $100,000 in total matching donations has been reached or until the deadline of Feb. 29.

PARC is currently taking any size donations online (mobile friendly) at www.plymouthparc.com/donate/ or by mail to PARC 650 Church St., Plymouth 48170.

PARC is a 501(c)3 public charity, leading the effort to convert the historic Central Middle School and the 16.6 acres on which it stands, into an arts, education and recreation complex serving the Greater Plymouth Community.

For more information, call (734) 927-4090.

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sub areas of the Master Plan came after the Planning Commission's discussion of the … preliminary site plan presented by Hunter-Pasteur for the Downs property and adjoining sub-areas," according to a post on the city website in September.

"These discussions uncovered new information about the property and impacts of redevelopment. The (planned unit development) plans have been formally withdrawn, and no new proposals have yet been formally submitted for review."

Wertheimer said he will submit a new site-plan for approval by the end of the year. He said the property is under contract to his company for the next five years and he intends to begin the development within that timeframe.

Wertheimer said the three groups with stake in the site were able to strike a "long-term extension that works for all parties."

"I would have liked to have had all my entitlements in place, but that's not how it worked out, and I support the city of Northville going through this process," Wertheimer added. "We're not in a huge hurry."

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE
NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS
OFFICE CLOSING

The Charter Township of Northville Administrative Offices will be closed on Monday, February 17, 2020 in observance of Presidents' Day.

The offices will reopen at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 18, 2020.

POLICE & FIRE EMERGENCY SERVICES WILL REMAIN AVAILABLE

Marjorie F. Banner, Clerk

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE
2020 MARCH BOARD OF REVIEW DATES

The Northville Township 2020 Board of Review will conduct hearings on the following dates for appeals from citizens, regarding the 2020 assessment, at the Northville Township Hall, 44405 Six Mile Road. All appeals are by appointment. **Starting Monday, February 24, 2020 please call (248) 348-5811 to schedule an appointment. Letters of appeal must be received by 11:00 am on March 13, 2020. Postmarks are not accepted.**

Tuesday	March 03, 2020	9:00 am	Organizational Meeting

Appointment Dates for Hearing:

Monday	March 9, 2020	9:00 am to 12 Noon and 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm
Tuesday	March 10, 2020	1:00 pm to 4:00 pm and 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm
Thursday	March 12, 2020	6:00 pm to 8:00 pm
Friday	March 13, 2020	9:00 am to 11:00 am

All persons protesting their assessment must complete a petition (form L-4035) which can be obtained at Northville Township Hall or on the Township website twp.northville.mi.us click on Board of Review or at www.michigan.gov/treasury .

Marjorie F. Banner
Clerk

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INVITATION TO BID
ROMULUS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received, opened and read aloud, by Romulus Community Schools at the District Administration Building located at 36540 Grant Rd., Romulus, MI 48174 no later than 1:00 PM local time on Thursday, February 20, 2020 for the following work:

Romulus High School - New Secured Entry, Frontage, Parking and Drop-off - 9650 Wayne Rd, Romulus MI 48174
HaleCreek Elementary - Chiller Replacement - 16200 Harrison Rd, Romulus, MI 48174

Barth Elementary - Bus Loop and Parking Enhancements - 38207 Barth St, Romulus, MI 48174

All bids shall be submitted online at:
https://app.buildingconnected.com/public/55a1292ff1a96708004a19dc

Please contact jared.marinelli@bartonmalow.com with any questions.

The School Board will not accept any bid submitted after the indicated due time and date. Bidders will be required to submit with their Bid Proposals a Bid Security by a qualified surety authorized to do business in the state where the Projects is located. All Bid Proposals shall be accompanied by the following two forms: Familial Disclosure Form (in accordance with MCL 380.1267) and an Iran Economic Sanctions Act Form (in compliance with Michigan Public Act No. 517 of 2012). Bid Proposals that do not include these two sworn and notarized forms shall not be accepted.

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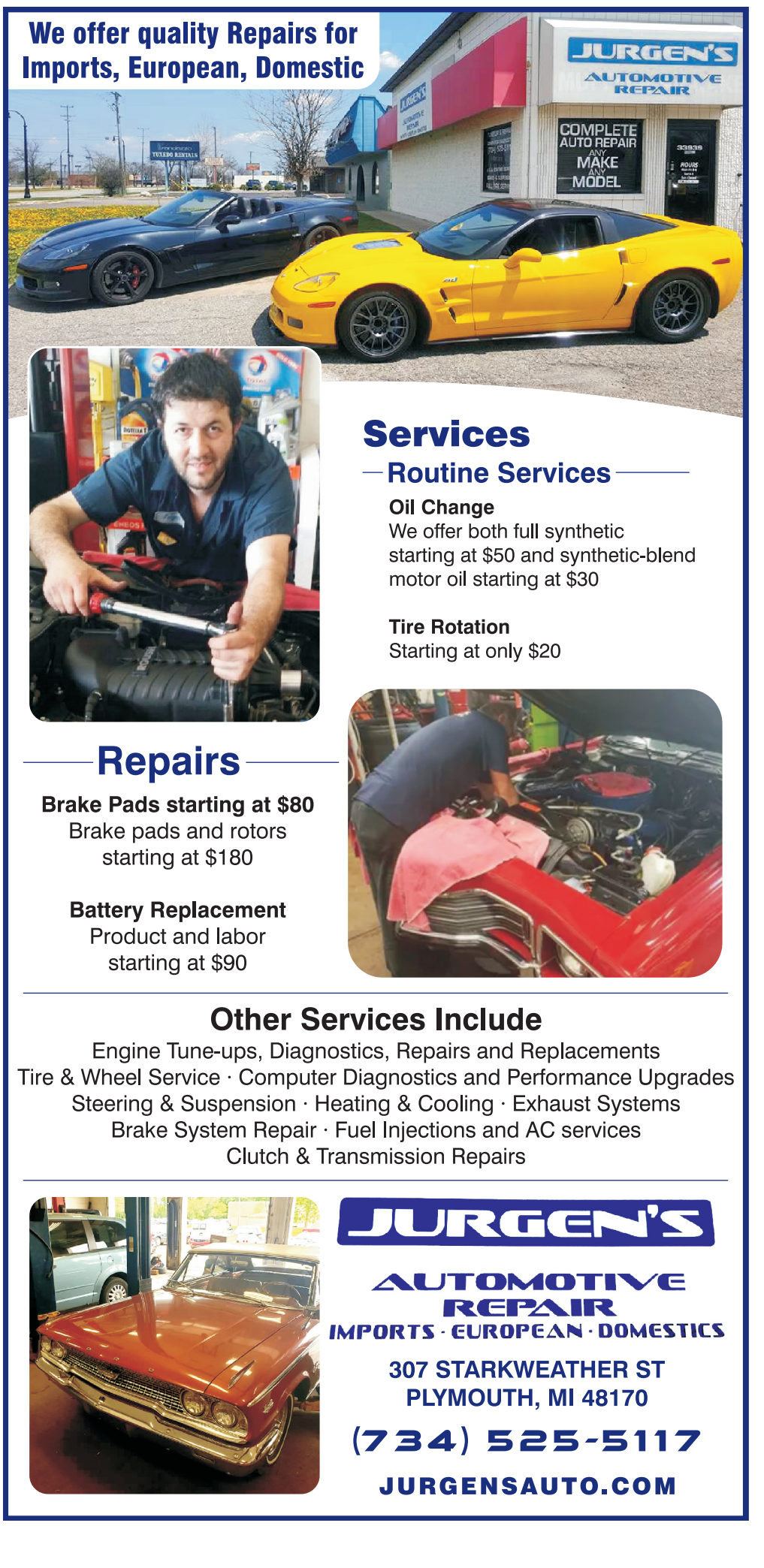
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Other Services Include
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BELLEVILLE - CANTON

Former editor accepts Washington job

Ray Day

Long-time area resident Ray Day has been named as vice chair of the marketing and communications agencies of Stagwell Group based in the D.C. area.

Day, a former editor at Associated Newspapers, has more than three decades of experience as a chief communications as a chief communications officer leading global communications teams, brands and agencies, including at Ford Motor Co. and IBM. He is well-known for expertise in reputation building, content creation, data and analytics, crisis readiness and recovery, and communications team development.

"Communications and PR are changing at warp speed, and the successful companies, brands and leaders will be the ones that quickly shift their focus to the future of communications. This future will be defined by being digital, mobile, measurable and engaging - both in reaching stakeholders and in delivering compelling content," Day said. "After 30 years of leading communications teams and agencies in-house, I have seen firsthand what's required from the best agency partners, and I am excited to join Stagwell's talented, nimble and innovative group of agencies as we create the future together."

Day, and his wife, Debbie, are the parents of two daughters, Riley and Sydney.

In the new role, Day will lead and integrate across all the Stagwell agencies to continue growing and providing clients, brands and communications teams with the best people, solutions and services. This includes building for a future with increasing market demand for an agency partner designed around flexibility, creativity, technology, data and speed.

In addition to his cross-Stagwell role, Day will serve as chair of Targeted Victory, leading an expansion of its crisis practice and corporate affairs offerings. Targeted Victory, a growing member of the Stagwell Group, is a digital-first marketing agency headquartered in the Washington, D.C. area.

"I have admired, known and worked with Ray in the communications and marketing industry for more than 20 years," said Stagwell Group Managing Partner Mark Penn in announcing the appointment. "Ray and I share a common vision that the future of the communications and marketing industry is rapidly changing, and the market is seeking partners that can deliver services that best utilize data analytics, digital, mobile, advocacy and creative services in the most seamless and efficient way. Ray's addition to the Stagwell Group and our companies will help us accelerate our growth and achieve that vision."

The Stagwell family includes Code and Theory, ForwardPMX, Grason, Harris Insights & Analytics, HarrisX, Ink, Locaria, MMI Agency, Multiview, National Research Group, Observatory, Reputation Defender, Scout, SKDKnickerbocker, Stagwell Tech, Targeted Victory and Wye Communications.

Judge is arrested

Judge David Parrott

Judge David Parrott of the 34th District Court has been arrested and charged with an alleged domestic assault.

According to the office of Wayne County Prosecutor Kym Worthy, Parrott, 59, was arrested by Van Buren Township Police at about 7:10 p.m. last Saturday, Feb. 8 in his Van Buren home.

When police arrived, the 55-year old victim alleged that Parrott had assaulted her causing a bump on her head, a laceration on her right hand, and pain to her tailbone, according to reports. After an investigation at the scene, officers arrested Parrott who spent the weekend in the Canton Township lock up.

Parrott was arraigned on a charge of domestic assault before Judge James Plakas Monday at 35th District Court. He was given a $2500 personal bond; ordered to wear an alcohol tether; have no contact with the complainant; cannot return to the condo they share and cannot possess any firearms.

Prehistoric Aquarium adventure comes to Canton

Erth's Prehistoric Aquarium Adventure cast in action.

Witness the underwater world come to life at 6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 16, when Erth's "Prehistoric Aquarium Adventure" appears on the Main Stage at The Village Theater at Cherry Hill in Canton.

Erth have built an Australian-wide and increasingly international reputation, based on exceptional work and a distinctive visual aesthetic.

Erth's Prehistoric Aquarium Adventure is an immersive experience that invites audience members to jump in and explore unknown ocean depths where prehistoric marine reptiles lived eons ago - and maybe live still today. Erth shows are at the forefront of family entertainment, using actors, technology, puppets, science and imagination to create an amazing visual experience that connects young audiences to the real science of paleontology.

For an even more stimulating, creative, and engaging experience, VIP tickets offer an exclusive pre-show meet and greet with the show puppeteers and magnificent puppet-creatures, photo taking, and an official Prehistoric Aquarium Adventure merchandise item. VIP activities begin at 4:30 p.m.

The Village Theater at Cherry Hill and the Canton Therapeutic Recreation Program are proud recipients of the 2019 Creators of Culture grant, which is administered by CultureSource and funded by the Kresge Foundation, Erb Family Foundation, and Hudson-Webber Foundation. The Therapeutic Recreation Program is available to individuals with physical, emotional, cognitive, developmental or other impairments. This grant allows program participants to experience the arts in a new and unique way by participating in both the pre-show VIP experience, as well as attending the show.

Tickets for this event are priced at $30 - $50 each and can be purchased online at www.cantonvillagetheater.org, or in person or by calling The Village Theater Box Office from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Monday through Friday at 734-394-5300. Any remaining tickets may also be available for purchase at the box office one hour prior to show time.

The Village Theater at Cherry Hill is located at 50400 Cherry Hill Road, Canton.

NOTICE OF ELECTION
CANTON TOWNSHIP, MICHIGAN
MARCH 10, 2020 ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF CANTON TOWNSHIP:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN CANTON TOWNSHIP ON TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2020. THE POLLS WILL BE OPEN FROM 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.

AT THE FOLLOWING POLLING LOCATIONS:	
Bentley Elementary School 1100 Sheldon Rd, Canton, MI 48188 (Precinct 16 and 17)	Canton High School 8415 N Canton Center Rd, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 11 and 24)
Connection Church 3855 S Sheldon Rd, Canton, MI 48188 (Precinct 2 and 28)	Crescent Academy 40440 Palmer Rd, Canton, MI 48188 (Precinct 5 and 31)
Discovery Middle School 45083 Hanford Rd, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 1 and 23)	Dodson Elementary School 205 S Beck Rd, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 33 and 37)
Field Elementary School 1000 Haggerty Rd, Canton, MI 48188 (Precinct 18 and 29)	Hulsing Elementary School 8055 Fleet St, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 12 and 32)
Liberty Middle School 46250 Cherry Hill Rd, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 25, 35, and 36)	Life Church 7001 N Haggerty Rd, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 3 and 30)
Miller Elementary School 43721 Hanford Rd, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 4 and 13)	Plymouth High School 8400 N Beck Rd, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 19 and 39)
Eriksson Elementary School 1275 N Haggerty Rd, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 9 and 22)	Salem High School 46181 Joy Rd, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 7 and 8)
St. John Neumann Church 44800 Warren Rd, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 14 and 21)	Summit On the Park 46000 Summit Pkwy, Canton, MI 48188 (Precinct 20, 26, 27,and 40)
Village Theater 50400 Cherry Hill Rd, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 10 and 38)	Walker-Winter Elementary School 39932 Michigan Ave, Canton, MI 48188 (Precinct 15)
Workman Elementary School 250 N Denton Rd, Canton, MI 48187 (Precinct 6 and 34)	To see a map of your voting location and to see a sample ballot visit www.mi.gov/vote

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Plymouth Canton School District will be voting on the following bond proposal as presented and listed below:

Shall the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, Counties of Wayne and Washtenaw, State of Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Two Hundred Seventy-Five Million Dollars ($275,000,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds, in one or more series, for the purpose of paying for the cost of the following projects:

· Remodeling, equipping, re-equipping, furnishing and re-furnishing school buildings, performing arts center, activity and athletic fields, playgrounds and other facilities for safety and security, energy conservation and other purposes;

· Erecting, completing, equipping and furnishing a new stadium, activity and athletic facilities and a maintenance/storage facility and secure entryway, classroom, gymnasium, and natatorium additions to existing school buildings and other facilities;

· Acquiring and installing instructional technology infrastructure and equipment in school buildings and other facilities and the purchase of school buses; and

· Preparing, developing and improving sites at school buildings, playgrounds, activity and athletic fields and other facilities for traffic control, safety and security and other purposes?

The annual debt millage required to retire all bonds of the School District currently outstanding and proposed pursuant to this Proposal is expected to remain at or below the annual debt millage of 4.02 mills levied in 2019. The maximum number of years any series of bonds may be outstanding, exclusive of refunding, is not more than twenty (20) years; the estimated millage that will be levied to pay the proposed bonds in the first year is 0.98 mills (which is equal to $0.98 per $1,000 of taxable value); and the estimated simple average annual millage that will be required to retire each series of bonds is 1.65 mills annually ($1.65 per $1,000 of taxable value).

(Pursuant to State law, expenditure of bond proceeds must be audited, and the proceeds cannot be used for teacher, administrator or employee salaries, repair or maintenance costs or other operating expenses.)

Absentee ballots are available for all elections; registered voters may contact the local clerk to obtain an application for an absent voter ballot or stop in person.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Wayne County Art Institute Authority will be voting on the following millage proposal as presented and listed below:

In 2012 the electors of Wayne County approved a 10-year millage to provide County residents with services from the Detroit Institute of Arts (DIA) through the Wayne County Art Institute Authority.
As a result of the millage, the DIA provides Wayne County residents with free K-12 school field trips including free transportation, free senior group programming with free transportation, and unlimited free general admission. To ensure transparency, the DIA submits to an annual independent audit and posts financial reports online.

To continue to provide revenue to the DIA, which will allow these DIA services for the residents of the County to continue, the Art Institute Authority is permitted by law to seek a renewal of the millage at a rate of no more than the current 0.2 mill (20 cents per $1,000 taxable value) on all real and personal property in the County. Revenue from this millage will be disbursed to the Art Institute Authority and then transferred to the DIA as permitted by and for the purposes set forth in Public Act 296 of 2010. It is estimated that if approved and levied, this millage renewal would generate approximately $8,500,000 in 2022.
Do you approve the renewal of the 0.2 mill on all taxable property located within the County for a period of 10 years from 2022 through 2031?

Full text of the ballot and proposals can be viewed at www.mi.gov/vote. A sample ballot may be picked up at the Clerk's Office.

All electors who are registered with the Township Clerk in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election. Sample ballots can be found at www.mi.gov/vote. To comply with the Help America Vote Act (HAVA), voting instructions will be available in audio format and in Braille. Arrangements for obtaining the instructions in these alternative formats can be made by contacting the Township Clerk in advance of the election. All polling locations are accessible for voters with disabilities.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION FOR
THE ELECTION TO BE HELD ON
TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2020
CANTON TOWNSHIP, MICHIGAN

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF CANTON TOWNSHIP:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that any qualified elector of Canton Township who is not already registered, may register to vote at the office of the Township Clerk; the office of the County Clerk; a Secretary of State branch office, or other designated state agency. Registration forms can be obtained at mi.gov/vote and mailed to the Township Clerk. Voters may register online at www.mi.gov/vote. Voters who are already registered may update their registration at www.expressSOS.com or in person at the Clerk's Office.

The last day to register in any manner other than in-person with the local clerk is **Monday, February 24, 2020**.

After this date, anyone who qualifies as an elector may register to vote in person with proof of residency (MCL 168.492) at the Canton Township Clerk's office, located at 1150 S. Canton Center Rd, Canton, MI 48188 at the following times:

- Regular business hours: Monday - Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Saturday March 7th, and Sunday March 8th from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.
- Electors may also pick up an absentee ballot at the above stated times.
- Election Day, Tuesday March 10th from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Notice of Public Accuracy Test of Voting Equipment

To the qualified electors of Canton Township, Wayne County, State of Michigan: Notice is hereby given that a Public Accuracy Test for the electronic equipment that will be used in Precinct 1 for the Presidential Preference Primary Election on March 10th, 2020 Election is scheduled for March 3, 2020 at 12:00 p.m. in the Township Hall located at 1150 S. Canton Center, Canton, MI 48188. The Public Accuracy Test is conducted to demonstrate that the computer programming used to tabulate the votes cast at the election meets the requirements of Michigan election law.

Call for Election Inspectors:

Those interested in serving the community, please visit www.canton-mi.org and click on "Voter Information". Select "Election Inspectors" and follow the prompts to apply. Canton Township is always looking for dedicated individuals that are interested in assisting with the Election Process.

On this web page those interested can also apply to be on our "Permanent Absentee Voter List". This is the list that allows Canton Township to automatically mail an application for an absentee ballot for each election.

Michael Siegrist
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CANTON, MI 48188
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cantonclerk@canton-mi.org
www.canton-mi.org

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College chancellor is named to Metro Airport board

Wayne County Community College District Chancellor Dr. Curtis L. Ivery has been appointed chairperson of the Wayne County Airport Authority (WCAA) Board. Ivery was appointed to the seven-member independent board by Wayne County Executive Warren Evans.

The WCAA is tasked with the strategic operation and management of Detroit Metropolitan Wayne County Airport and Willow Run Airport.

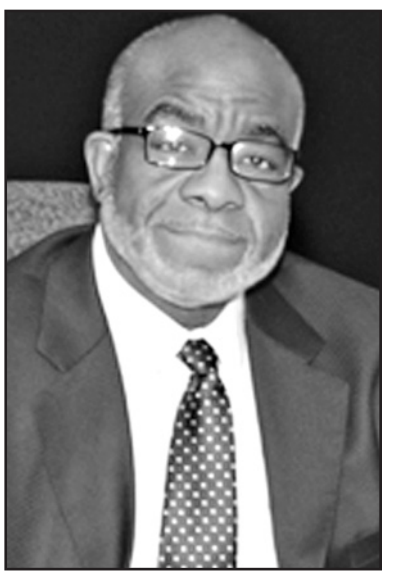
Detroit Metro Airport is one of the busiest airports in the world, and last year ranked first in customer satisfaction by J.D. Power and Associates. Together, Detroit Metropolitan Airport (DTW) and Willow Run Airport (YIP) represent one of the leading air transportation hubs in the world, recording more than 1,100 flights a day to and from four continents and providing $10.2 billion in annual economic impact, and thousands of jobs.

"I am honored by this appointment and the opportunity to work with my board colleagues to advance one of the world's most important transportation hubs," said Ivery. "We know that Detroit Metro and Willow Run are vital parts of the economic engine that drives our region forward. During such a dynamic and innovative time in transportation and in southeast Michigan, it is truly exciting to champion that movement and help our region thrive into the future."

As the chancellor or chief executive officer of Wayne County Community College District, Ivery directs the largest urban community college district in Michigan. Ivery led the transformation of the district into a thriving, six-campus, inclusively pluralistic district that serves nearly 70,000 students annually, and 36 cities and townships across 500 square miles. Ivery is a recognized national thought leader, early education and equity advocate, educator, author and scholar.

Ivery directed the creation of more than 120 workforce development, career and academic programs to help retrain workers for new careers in emerging sector industries, and a rigorously transparent operating model that has become a reference point for educational institutions nationwide.

Ivery's term on the WCAA Board expires in October 2024.



Chancellor Dr. Curtis L. Ivery

Romulus High School alumni being sought to join new group

Graduates of Romulus High School of all decades are being invited to participate in a newly-organized alumni group.

Romulus High School administrators Floretta McNeil-Marino and Nicole Crockett have launched a campaign to alumni to become more active in events at the school. Their first event is the Alumni/Business Social and Basketball Game set to begin with a networking event at 5 p.m. Feb. 20 in the high school cafeteria.

In addition, they are hoping to enlist alumni in a database so they can organize a communications list to keep in touch with former students at the school. "To my knowledge, this is the biggest push to organize Romulus High School alumni," noted Dawn Jamison, communications director for the school district.. "The high school administrators want to rally alumni for support and involvement."

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Alumni are urges to come and connect or reconnect with fellow graduates, learn about upcoming programs and evens at the school.

The meet and greet and networking event will begin at 5 p.m. followed by a presentation and suggestions of ways to give back set for 6 p.m.

"Alumni could be serving as mentors, guest speakers and donors for Romulus High School," Jamison said. "It is very important to reach out to alumni so they know all of the great things going on in our schools."

The varsity basketball game against River Rouge High School will begin at 7 p.m.

Alumni can join the registry at tinyurl.com/RHSAlumniiReg.

Grief recovery support group set to begin tonight at 5 Points Church

A grief-recovery seminar and support group will meet at 5 Points Church in Romulus at 6 p.m. each Thursday starting today, Feb.13. The church is located at 37300 Goddard at Huron River Dr.

GriefShare offers help and encouragement after the death of a family member or friend, according to organizers. Participants will find it to be a warm, caring environment and will come to see the group as an "oasis" on the long journey through grief, she added.

There are three key parts to the GriefShare experience:

1. Video seminar in which there will be information-packed videos featuring leading grief recovery experts.

2. Support group with small group discussion about the weekly video content.

3. Workbook for journaling and personal study exercises that reinforce the weekly session topics.

Attend any or all sessions to receive coping skills on the journey of grief.

A $15 registration includes a workbook/journal and weekly handouts.

More information is available at (734)941-1511 or on the web at www.griefshare.org.

Check us out Online!
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC LOGIC & ACCURACY TEST OF THE DOMINION ICP/ICX/ICC VOTING SYSTEMS FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2020 PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP, MICHIGAN

A public accuracy test of the Dominion ICP/ICX/ICC Voting Systems will take place at 3:30 p.m. on February 18, 2020, at the Charter Township of Plymouth Clerk's Office, 9955 N. Haggerty Road, Plymouth, MI 48170, for the March 10, 2020 Election. The Public Logic & Accuracy Test is conducted to demonstrate that the computer program used to tabulate the votes cast at the election meets the requirements of law. For further information contact the clerk's office at (734) 354-3224.

Jerry Vorva
Township Clerk

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE TO PUBLIC BOARD OF REVIEW APPOINTMENTS

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Michael A. Siegrist, Clerk of the Charter Township of Canton, County of Wayne, State of Michigan to all residents of the Charter Township of Canton the March Board of Review will be held in the Canton Township Hall on the first floor, at 1150 S. Canton Center Road.

All persons protesting their assessment must complete petitions prior to appearing to or in writing to the Board of Review. All petitions must be received in the Assessor's office by March 11, 2020 by 9:00 p.m.

The following is the schedule for March Board of Review.

Monday, March 9th, 2020	Hearings from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. (Appointments Only)
Tuesday, March 10, 2020	Hearings from 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. (Appointments Only)
Wednesday, March 11, 2020	Hearings from 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. (Appointments Only)

Please be advised that after 4:30 p.m. entry to the building can only be accessed through the front entrance of the Township Hall.

To schedule an appointment or if you have any questions regarding the March Board of Review you may call the Assessor's Office at 734-394-5111.

Michael A. Siegrist, CLERK
Charter Township of Canton Township

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS FIRE STATION NO 2 INTERIOR DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP, MICHIGAN

The Charter Township of Plymouth, the OWNER, will receive sealed Bids for Fire Station No 2 Interior Drainage Improvements at the Charter Township of Plymouth, Clerks Office, 9955 N. Haggerty Road, Plymouth, Michigan 48170, until March 4, 2020 at 2:00 pm local time. No Bids will be received after that time. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at that time and place.

This project consists of removing and replacing trench drains inside the fire station, then coating the concrete floor with an epoxy non slip finish.

The approximate quantities of the major items of Work are:

108 LF Trench Drain, Remove and Replace
2600 SF Epoxy Floor

The project will be financed with local funds.

Bidding Documents may be examined at the following locations beginning February 12, 2020:

Clerk's Office, Plymouth Township, 9955 N. Haggerty Road, Plymouth, MI 48170

Michigan Inter-Governmental Trade Network (MITN) at www.mitn.info

Bidding Documents were prepared by Spalding DeDecker.

Bid Security in the amount, form, and subject to the conditions provided in the Instructions to Bidders must be submitted with each Bid.

Bids may not be withdrawn for a period of 120 days after the actual date of opening thereof. This time period may be extended by mutual agreement of the OWNER and any Bidder or Bidders.

The Township reserves the right to accept any or all alternative Bids and award the contract to other than the lowest bidder, to waive any irregularities or informalities or both; to reject any or all Bids; and in general to make the award of the Contract in any manner deemed by the Township, in its sole discretion, to be in the best interest of the Charter Township of Plymouth.

Charter Township of Plymouth,
Jerry Vorva, Township Clerk

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S, Canton, Michigan will accept sealed proposals at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m. Thursday, February 27, 2020 for the following:

ANIMAL CONTROL SERVICES

Proposals may be picked up at the Finance and Budget Department, on the MITN Purchasing Group website at https://www.bidnetdirect.com/mitn/cantontownship or you may contact Mike Sheppard at: 734/394-5225. All proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of proposal opening. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

MICHAEL SIEGRIST, CLERK

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Canton Township Public Notice

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
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NOTICE TO PUBLIC
BOARD OF REVIEW APPOINTMENTS

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The following is the schedule for March Board of Review:

Tuesday, March 3rd 2020	3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Organizational Meeting
Monday, March 9th 2020	9:00 am - 4:30 pm	
Tuesday, March 10th 2020	1:00 pm - 9:00 pm	
Wednesday, March 11th 2020	1:00 pm - 9:00 pm	

To schedule an appointment or If you have any questions regarding the March Board of Review, you may contact the Assessing office at (734) 394-5111.

Michael A. Siegrist
Charter Township of Canton

ACCESS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ACCESS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals with disabilities who require special accommodations, auxiliary aids or services to attend participate at the meeting/hearing should contact Kerreen Conley, Human Resources Manager, at 734-394-5260. Reasonable accommodations can be made with advance notice. A complete copy of the Access to Public Meetings Policy is available at www.canton-mi.org

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ACCESS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS

The Charter Township of Canton will provide necessary, reasonable auxiliary aids and services to individuals with disabilities at the meeting/hearing upon notice to the Charter Township of Canton.

In accordance with the requirements of Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 ("ADA"), the Charter Township of Canton will not discriminate against qualified individuals with disabilities on the basis of disability in its services, programs, or activities.

Employment: The Charter Township of Canton does not discriminate on the basis of disability in its hiring or employment practices and complies with all regulations promulgated by the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission under Title II of the ADA.

Effective Communication: The Charter Township of Canton will generally, upon request, provide appropriate aids and services leading to effective communication for qualified persons with disabilities so they can participate equally in the Charter Township of Canton's programs, services, and activities, including qualified sign language interpreters, documents in Braille, and other ways of making information and communications accessible to people who have speech, hearing, or vision impairments.

Modifications to Policies and Procedures: The Charter Township of Canton will make all reasonable modifications to policies and programs to ensure that people with disabilities have an equal opportunity to enjoy all of its programs, services, and activities. For example, individuals with service animals are welcomed in the Charter Township of Canton's offices, even where pets are generally prohibited.

Anyone who requires an auxiliary aid or service for effective communication, or a modification of policies or procedures to participate in a program, service, or activity of the Charter Township of Canton should contact the office of Barb Brouillette, Human Resources Coordinator, Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, MI 48188, (734) 394-5260 as soon as possible but no later than 48 hours before the scheduled event.

The ADA does not require the Charter Township of Canton to take any action that would fundamentally alter the nature of its programs or services, or impose an undue financial or administrative burden.

Complaints that a program, service, or activity of the Charter Township of Canton is not accessible to persons with disabilities should be directed to Barb Brouillette, Human Resources Coordinator, Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, MI 48188, (734) 394-5260.

The Charter Township of Canton will not place a surcharge on a particular individual with a disability or any group of individuals with disabilities to cover the cost of providing auxiliary aids/services or reasonable modifications of policy, such as retrieving items from locations that are open to the public but are not accessible to persons who use wheelchairs.

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Wayne - Westland

Westland police promotions are announced

The Westland Police Department marked several changes during official ceremonies last week when four veteran officers were promoted, a new officer sworn in and a new police academy recruit welcomed.

New Ofc. Timothy Sumpter has joined the Westland Police Department from the Detroit police force. Sumpter grew up in Canton Township and, during his high school years, became interested in law enforcement. He joined the Westland Police Explorers for a firsthand look into the job and attended Schoolcraft College for Criminal Justice. In 2009 he was hired by Detroit Police where he served in the uniformed division, special operations, fugitive apprehension, and surveillance. In 2016, Sumpter was awarded the highest department decoration in the Detroit Police Department, the Medal of Valor, for actions above and beyond the call of duty and exhibiting exceptional courage when he came under attack during an ambushed shooting.

"After 11 years of service with Detroit, Sumpter has decided to return to where he calls home," commented Police Chief Jeff Jedrusik. "The place where he started his law enforcement journey, the Westland Police Department."

Officers promoted were new Sgt. Eric Rodriguez, Sgt. Bryan Jachym, Lt. Jon Torolski and Lt.Robert Wilke.

Rodriguez, now a sergeant, began his career with Westland in August of 2000. Rodriguez earned his bachelor's degree in criminal justice from Concordia University. He has served as a Community Police Officer and a Field Training Officer. He is a member of Perimeter Rifle Team as well as a member of Tactical Response. In 2013, Rodriguez was chosen as Westland Police Officer of the Year.

Newly promoted to sergeant, Jachym has served with the Westland Police Department since 2007 and is serving his 13th year. Jachym grew up in the City of Westland and graduated from John Glenn High School. He attended Schoolcraft College and obtained an associate's degree in criminal justice and was named Police Officer of the Year in 2012

Torolski, promoted to the rank of lieutenant, joined the Westland Police Department in March of 1997 and is currently in his 23rd year of service. Torolski obtained a bachelor's degree in science from Western Michigan University. He served as a patrolman for 15 years before being promoted to sergeant during which time he served both as a road patrol supervisor and as a member of the detective bureau. With this promotion, he will take on the new responsibility as a patrol shift commander.

Wilkie, also promoted to the rank of lieutenant, has worked for the Westland Police Department since 2002 and is approaching the beginning of his 18th year of service. He earned an associate's degree in criminal justice and is currently working toward his bachelor's degree.

Newly promoted Westland police officers include Sgt. Eric Rodriguez, left, Lt. Robert Wilkie, Lt. Jon Torolski and Sgt. Bryan Jachym.l

Wilkie is also a graduate of the Eastern Michigan College School of Police Executive Staff and Command and has served numerous roles with the Westland Police Department including being a member of the perimeter rifle team, head of the Taser program, supervisor of Westland Police Service Aid Program.

As an officer he was a field training officer and progressed to his current role of supervising the Westland Police Department Field Training Officer program. After identifying a need within the department for a proactive approach to media relations, Wilkie became the first Public Information Officer for the Westland Police Department. The new lieutenant will also take on the role of patrol shift commander.

The department also welcomed Police Academy Recruit Corey Skulina.

Skulina is from Livonia and is currently attending the Wayne County Regional Police Academy as a recruit. He graduated from Schoolcraft College with an associate degree in criminal justice and has served as a Police Service Aide for the past 4 years with 2.5 years as a trainer. Skulina is scheduled to graduate from the academy in April at which time he will be sworn in to the Westland Police Department.

"We are pleased to welcome new faces to serve alongside the elite ranks of Westland's Police Department and congratulate our long serving members on their well deserved promotions," commented Mayor William R. Wild.

"I wish them all the best of luck in their new positions and I am confident that they will continue to demonstrate the highest level of dedication and professionalism throughout their careers in service to the Westland Community."

Real good fellows

City of Wayne Mayor John Rhaesa presented the Wayne Goodfellows with a certificate of thanks for their service to families in the Wayne community on behalf of the members of the city council during the regular meeting Feb. 4. Beverly Campbell, left, Jennifer Geitzen, Rhaesa, Susan Schaaf and William Schaaf are all smiles after the presentation which honored the contribution of the Goodfellows during the holiday season.

Audit

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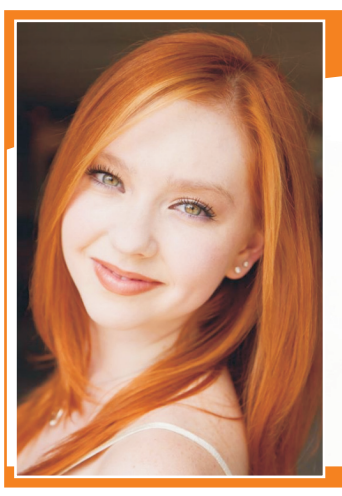
a retiree healthcare Trust Fund in 2019 in an effort to begin paying the underfunded portion of the retiree healthcare benefit obligations. Other components of the city plan for managing the unfunded retiree healthcare obligation in accordance with the Public Act 202 plan have collectively led to a significant decrease in the retiree healthcare benefit obligation and liability, officials noted.

"The audit for fiscal year ending June 30, 2019 ended with most departments coming in under budget and the city adding to the surplus in the general fund," commented Finance Director Steve Smith. "The city also continues to make positive progress on the outstanding legacy costs. The overall unfunded liability in total for the pension funds and the retiree health care fund (OPEB) was reduced by over $67 million last year."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59. Auctions

The following vehicles have been deemed abandoned by Inkster police and will be sold at a public auction at

Bishop Auto Wrecking LLC at 2780 Springhill Inkster, Mi. 48141 on Thursday February 20, 2020 10:00 am.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE BIDDING WILL START AT THE TOWING & STORAGE CHARGES

2009 Chevrolet
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2004 Ford
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2007 Ford
3FAHP07Z77R160234
2009 Ford
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PUBLIC AUCTION MARTIN'S TOWING 17180 DIX TOLEDO BROWNSTOWN MI 48193 FEBRUARY 17, 2020 10:00 AM

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2000 TOYOTA
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2008 CHRYSLER
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2009 MINI
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1994 JEEP
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NOTICE OF AUCTION AT J&T CROVA TOWING 36573 GRANT, ROMULUS, MI 48174 (734) 941-1520 WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2020 @ 9:00 AM

2005 CADILLAC SRX
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BLAZER
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2013 FORD FOCUS
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TOWN & COUNTRY
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2005 CHRYSLER
PACIFICA
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2006 FORD ESCAPE
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2003 MITSUBISHI
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2007 FORD FOCUS
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2000 OLDSMOBILE
SILHOUETTE
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2004 CHEVROLET
SILVERADO
1GCEC14X64Z318832
2008 CHEVROLET
EXPRESS VAN
1GAHG35K381200427

FIVE STAR STORE IT 5235 MERRIMAN RD WESTLAND, MI 48186 734-721-4670
THE FOLLOWING WILL BE UP FOR AUCTION ONLINE STARTING **FEBRUARY 21, 2020 AT 12:30 PM**
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ALCOTT, RONALD - UNIT 10806
SECTIONAL, DRESSERS, BIKE, 2 TABLES, BED FRAME, MATTRESSES, MICROWAVE, PLASTIC BAGS
ALCOTT, RONALD - UNIT 10884
PLASTIC BAGS, BOXES, MISC CAR PARTS
BADDER, MARK - UNIT 10457
DRESSER, AC, MATTRESS, NIGHT STAND, TV STAND,
BED FRAME, GUITAR
BERRY, ROLAND - UNIT 10371
KEYBOARD, GLASS TABLE, CHAIR, PLASTIC BAGS, TOTES
BUSZEK, ROBERT - UNIT 10327
TOTES, DRESSERS, TRUNKS, FANS, FOLDING TABLE, FOLDING CHAIRS, FUTON, MISC CAR PARTS, RADIO, BOXES,
EXERCISE BIKE, APPLIANCE DOLLY
BUSZEK, ROBERT - UNIT 10832
MICROWAVE, LADDER, SKIS, LAWN TOOL, TV, 2 WHEELER, POOL CHEMICALS, FANS, BIKE, LAWN MOWER, BOXES, TOTES
GRACZYK, JOHN - UNIT 10443
BOAT, SNOWMOBILE, TRAILER
HIGHTOWER, YOLANDA - UNIT 10855
BIKE, DRESSER, NIGHT STAND, 2 WHEEL DOLLY, LAMPS, HEATER, MISC TOYS, BAGS, TOTES
HUNT, WILLIAM - UNIT 10157
BED FRAME, SUITCASE, BENCH
RINGO, ADRIAN - UNIT 10853
BOXES, DESK, HOUSEHOLD ITEMS, BED FRAME, STOVE

Calendar of events

Art exhibition under way

The Gallery at City Hall in Westland is featuring a Martin Luther King, Jr. and Black History Month Art exhibition featuring the artwork of local artists honoring the spirit and accomplishments of Black Americans in every area of endeavor throughout history.

The exhibition is organized by the city of Westland and Three Cities Art club. For more information, call (313) 231-3939 .

Westland City Hall is located at 36300 Warren Road in Westland and the exhibition is open during city hall hours through the month of February.

Senior Tax help offered

AARP Foundation Volunteer Tax Aides will offer free tax preparation services at the Northville Community Center again this year. Tax preparation is by appointment only and is offered from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. each Thursday at the Northville Community Center. First appointments began this week and the last day will be Thursday, April 9. This service is provided to taxpayers with low/middle income with special preference for appointments will be given to those 60 and older.

Appointments are already being accepted, which can be made by calling (248) 305-2851.

AARP Tax Volunteers are certified for tax preparation and will electronically file federal and state tax returns. Tax payers will leave the 1-1 ½ hour appointment with a copy of their e-filed returns, and the knowledge that their tax returns have been filed at both Michigan and IRS acceptance sites.

Snowball Tournament set

The Canton Sports Center annual Snowball Tournament, a Chicago-style softball event, is back by popular demand. The games return beginning at 10 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 15, at 10 a.m. at the Canton Sports Center, located at 46555 W. Michigan Ave., Canton.

This co-ed tournament is a double-elimination format and will run from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The entrance fee is $130 per team and an umpire fee of $14 per game is required. The deadline to register is 5 p.m. Feb. 10.

For more information or to register for the Snowball Tournament or the softball leagues that are starting soon, call the Canton Sports Center at (734) 483-5600 or visit csc.canton-mi.org.

Romulus mayor to be speaker

The Greater Romulus Chamber of Commerce will host Romulus Mayor LeRoy D. Burcroff as the speaker at the regular business luncheon beginning with registration at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 18 at the Sheraton Detroit Metro Airport.

The luncheon program will begin at noon and seating is limited. Tickets are $25 for chamber members and $30 for non-members. Reservations are requested before Feb. 14 at (734) 893- 0694.

Photos with Cupid available

The Belleville Area Museum will offer free photos with Cupid and Rosie the Riveter from 1-4 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 15.

Valentines and candy will also be available.

The museum is located at 405 Main St. in Belleville. For information, call (734) 697-1944.

Family Prom Night tomorrow

Family Prom Night at Jefferson Barns Community Vitality Center located at 32150 Dorsey Road will host a Family Prom Night, From 6 until 8 p.m. tomorrow, Feb. 14, There will be a DJ and square dancing, arts and crafts, snacks and drinks. The first 50 children will receive free school supplies. The cost is $5 per family. Register at (734) 793-9390.

Valentine's Student Jam is planned

The Harris Conservatory of Music will present the 2020 Valentine's Student Jam at 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 16, at E.G. Nick's in downtown Plymouth.

Admission is free to hear the student performances.

E. G. Nick's is located at 550 Forest Ave. in Plymouth.

Family Movie is Sunday

The William P. Faust Public Library in Westland will host a Family Movie beginning at 1 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 16, at 6123 Central City Parkway, in meeting rooms A and B. This week's movie is Artic Dogs, rated PG.. No registration is needed and light refreshments will be served.

Motivational speaker visits

Mikhaella Norwood, founder and CEO of Freelife Productions, will be at the Canton Public Library at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 18. Her company "aims to inspire people to live the life that they have always wanted."

Copies of Norwood's immersive poetry book, Fruit: Haiku of Haikus for the Blossoming Soul, will be available for purchase. No registration is required. The Canton Public Library is located at 1200 S. Canton Center Road in Canton. Visit www.cantonpl.org or call (734) 397-0999 for library information.

Mr. Brown goes to Washington is topic at Belleville Area Museum

The Belleville Area Museum will present Mr. Brown Goes to Washington, featuring stories and photos from Douglas Brown's time in D. C. from 6 until 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20.

Admission is free for members and $5 for non members of the museum.

The museum is located at 405 Main St. in Belleville. For information, call (734) 697-1944.

Census jobs available.

The Romulus Public Library will host representatives from the 2020 census seeking workers from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. Feb. 20 and 27.

Jobs start are $17-$20 per hours.

The library is located at 11121 South Wayne Road in Romulus.

For more information call (734) 942-7589.

Students will host record show

The annual 88.1 record show will bring thousands of vinyl records, CDs, import only releases, t-shirts, posters and other collectables to the Salem High School Cafeteria.

The record show is set for 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22 and proceeds will benefit the nationally-recognized student radio station operated by the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools.

In addition to the wide variety of vendors, the show will feature special giveaways and door prizes.

Admission to the record show is $3; however collectors wanting an early start can purchase early admission between 9 and 10 a.m. for $5. Students at Canton, Plymouth and Salem high schools will be admitted at no cost with student identification.

Interested dealers or those wanting more information can contact (734) 416-7732 or email bill.keith@pccsk12.com. Eight foot tables can be reserved for $30.

Salem High School is located at 46181 Joy Road in Canton at the corner of Joy and Canton Center roads.

Chili Cook Off planned

Women's Life Society, Chapter 827 and Chicks 4 Charity will host a special Chili Cook Off fundraiser to benefit the Canton Cares Fund on from 1 until 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, at the Summit on the Park Banquet Center, located at 46000 Summit Parkway. Canton welcomes area residents to come sample and vote for Canton's Best Chili. Local area restaurants will be on hand showcasing their finest and tastiest Chili. This tasty fundraiser is all in support of a the Canton Cares Fund, an effort to benefit the Canton Police and Fire Departments, while recognizing the "above and beyond the call-of-duty" of first responders. Tickets are just $20 for adults and $5 for children. Purchase tickets at: https://conta.cc/2RixawF

Indoor Farmers Market opens

The first of three monthly Winter Markets will take place from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23 in the Summit on the Park's Banquet Lobby, located at 46000 Summit Parkway. Markets are also scheduled for March 22 and April 26 at the Summit.

Black History program set

The Romulus Public Library will host a Black History Month program including African drum and story telling beginning at 6 p.m. Feb. 25.

The library is located at 11121 South Wayne Road in Romulus.

For more information, call (734) 942-7589.

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any such talks or negotiations had taken place.

Mack, in a five-page letter, called Rhaesa's answer, "at best misleading and at worst, false."

Mack said that she had received a call from a judge at the Romulus 34th District Court on Feb. 3, the day before the council meeting, advising her that Romulus Mayor LeRoy Burcroff had been approached about consolidating the two courts.

She said that statements in the resolution and at the meeting were incorrect. "Some were false, some were misleading and others appeared to reveal a basic lack of understanding about the Court."

Mack also disputed claims that the number of full-time personnel in the court has increased from five in 2011 to 10 currently. "I am confused by that statement, because the court currently has eight full-time employees and 2.25 of those eight positions are funded by grants at no cost to the city."

Rhaesa said at the meeting that Mack was to have prepared three bullet points for discussion with state officials regarding a consolidation but that she had failed to do so forcing the city to take action regarding the court.

Mack also disputed this remark stating that this was discussed in a meeting last year with state officials but was never specifically assigned to any one individual. She said she did as she agreed at the meeting and spoke to the judges at the 18th District Court in Westland and reported her findings to Rhaesa by telephone. "I believed that the city would follow up within a few weeks. That never happened," she said.

Mack said she believes the effort at consolidation was a reaction to the proposed court budget for the coming fiscal year.

Nocerini was openly critical of the proposed court budget during discussion of the resolution at the meeting.

"This council's duty is fiduciary and fiscal responsibility," she said. "We are already getting pushback. The court budget has gone from $772,000 to a proposed $941,000 for the 20-21 year. That is $167,000 more for personnel. I don't have $167,000 to give to my police department, my fire department, the DPW," she said. She added that she has also been informed the court building needs a new furnace and a roof. Council members agreed that many repairs are needed to bring the court up to acceptable standards. "It is dysfunctional. It isn't fair to the employees," Nocerini said.

Mack agreed that the court building does "have problems" She said it was built in 1951 and security was not considered and it now needs a new furnace and carpeting. She said there have been problems with the flat roof, but that she does not believe the building needs a new roof at this time.

"The current building, although not ideal, has worked and can continue to work with adequate security," Mack said.

She also criticized Rhaesa's referencing the 8-year-old study. She said the most recent Judicial Resource Report indicates that Wayne needs .7 of a judge. "This does not include most of the time it takes to administer the treatment court, truancy program, eviction diversion program, juvenile jurisdiction and the teen court at Wayne Memorial High School."

Mack said that she would support a court consolidation only if such a move would meet the needs of the community.

"Any consolidation should also carefully consider all of the costs, the impact on the police department and citizens of Wayne. Without careful planning, a consolidation could result in the court costing more to the city than it does now. Keep in mind that the judge's salary is completely borne by the State of Michigan.

"It would be reckless to haphazardly eliminate this judgeship, deny the citizens their right to vote for their own judge and endanger valuable outreach program," Mack said.

The approved resolution from the city was delivered to State Rep. Kevin Coleman in Lansing and will also be sent to State Sen. Dayna Polehanki and Gov. Gretchen Whitmer in an effort to "get answers" about the possibility of a consolidation of court jurisdictions with a neighboring court according to Rhaesa.

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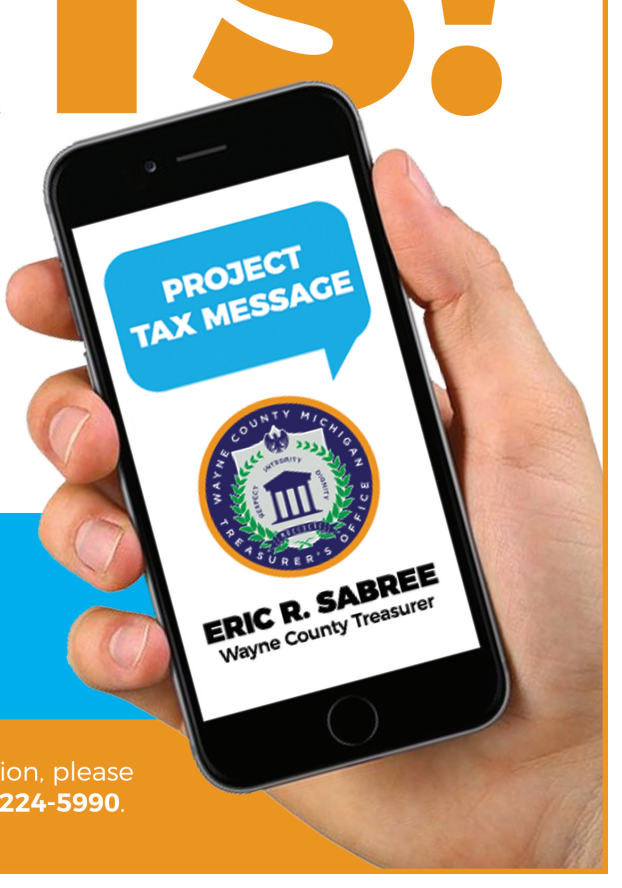

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